

# **8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**

## **Parent Meeting**

### **End-of-Year Activities**



**DRE**  
K-8 CENTER

Mr. Phil Mato, Principal

Ms. Estela Rodriguez, Assistant Principal

# Topics

- ▶ Academic Requirements
- ▶ End-of-Year Activities
- ▶ Promotion Ceremony
- ▶ Prom
- ▶ EOY Dave & Busters
- ▶ Memory Book
- ▶ Gradventure Meeting
- ▶ Join 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Chat



# UPPER ACADEMY REQUERIMENTS

- ▶ Promotion to senior high school requires that the student successfully completes the following academic courses:
  - ❖ Three Upper Academy annual courses in English.
  - ❖ Three Upper Academy annual courses in Mathematics.
  - ❖ Three Upper Academy annual courses in Science.
  - ❖ Three Upper Academy annual courses in Social science.

Must pass core classes all 3  
years

## 6<sup>th</sup> grade

Language Arts 1  
Math 1  
Comprehensive Science 1  
United States History

## 7<sup>th</sup> grade

Language Arts 2  
Math 2  
**Algebra 1 Honors –Advanced/Gifted**  
Comprehensive Science 2  
Physical Science Honors– Advanced/Gifted  
Civics and Careers

## 8<sup>th</sup> grade

Language Arts 3  
Math 3, Algebra 1 H., or Geometry H.  
Comprehensive Science 3, Physical Science H., or  
Biology H.  
World History



# EOY Events / Activities

DATE	EVENT/ACTIVITY	LOCATION
April 10 <sup>th</sup>	Teacher Planning Day- No School	N/A
April 19 <sup>th</sup>	PTA – Movie day at school – \$5 Donation	DRE
April 25 <sup>th</sup>	Take your child to work day – Forms needed	N/A
May 2 <sup>nd</sup>	FAST Science/EOC Biology	DRE
May 7 <sup>th</sup>	FAST Reading	DRE
May 10 <sup>th</sup>	Gradventure– Return next day about 4:30 AM	Universal Orlando
May 14 <sup>th</sup>	FAST Math/EOC Algebra/EOC Geometry	DRE
May 22 <sup>nd</sup>	EOY Field trip: Dave and Busters	Dolphin Mall
May 29 <sup>th</sup>	Promotion Ceremony–9:30 AM	Ronald Reagan SHS
May 31 <sup>st</sup>	Prom– 7:00 PM to 11:00 PM	Intercontinental Doral Hotel

# PROMOTIONAL CEREMONY

- ▶ Promotional Ceremony is on Wednesday, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 9:00 AM at Ronald Reagan/Doral SHS.
- ▶ Parking will be available around the perimeter of the school. Any vehicles parked in or blocking residential areas will be towed.
- ▶ Students will be transported to the high school by school bus with their homeroom teacher.
- ▶ Parents are welcome to sign their children out early after the ceremony at Ronald Reagan/ Doral Senior High. Transportation will be provided for those returning to school.
  - \*YOU MUST KNOW THE NAME OF YOUR CHILD'S HOMEROOM TEACHER!**
- ▶ Each student will receive TWO (2) tickets for family members to attend this event.

**\*EXTRA TICKETS CANNOT BE GIVEN FOR ADDITIONAL RELATIVES!**



# DRESS CODE

## PROMOTION CEREMONY

### LADIES:

Dress

**(length must be at or below knee)**

OR

A blouse with dress pants or skirt

**(length at or below the knee)**

Heels: Use proper judgment

**\*Strapless and spaghetti straps ARE NOT permitted!**

### GENTLEMEN:

Suit

OR

long-sleeved dress shirt, slacks, tie, belt, and dress shoes

**Jeans ARE NOT permitted!**



# PROM

- ▶ Students **MUST** be in attendance at school in order to attend Prom. Students may be picked up early after the conclusion of the 1<sup>st</sup> block (10:45 AM).
- ▶ Prom is on Friday, May 31<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at the Intercontinental Hotel from 7:00 PM – 11:00 PM
- ▶ Parents must **drop off** students in front of the hotel lobby and **remain in the car.**
- ▶ Parents will **not be** allowed in the ballroom, or in the lobby in front of the ballroom where the event will take place.
- ▶ Students may **NOT** leave early, so please make arrangements to pick up your son/daughter promptly at 11:00 PM



# DRESS CODE

## PROM

### LADIES:

Party dress

OR

A blouse with skirt

Heels: Use proper judgment

**\*Strapless and spaghetti straps ARE permitted with a cardigan or shawl!**

**NO jeans or sneakers are permitted!**

### GENTLEMEN:

Suit

OR

long-sleeved dress shirt, slacks, tie, belt, and dress shoes

**NO jeans or sneakers are permitted!**





# EOY Dave & Busters

- ▶ EOY Activity is on Wednesday, May 22th, 2024 from 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM at Dave & Busters at Dolphin Mall.
- ▶ Cost: \$29 – Payments on OSP until **APRIL 29th**.
- ▶ Students must wear their 8th grade t-shirt in order to attend.
- ▶ Lunch will be provided for all students in attendance.
- ▶ Transportation will be free for all the students thanks to fundraising efforts.
- ▶ Students must attend school in order to participate.
- ▶ Students can not show up at the mall.



# 2023-2024 MEMORY BOOK

## Order Your DRE Memory Books!

### *How to Order*

- Log on to the "Parent Portal"
- Click on Apps, Services
- Scroll to OSP (Online School Payments)
- Choose "K-8 and K-12 Schools"
- Scroll down to Dr. Rolando Espinosa K-8 Center
- Add "Memory Book" to your cart **\$25.00**



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CLASS PICTURES!

STUDENT PICS!

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# GRADVENTURE

## UNIVERSAL ORLANDO

**MANDATORY** meeting for parents whose child is going to the Gradventure field trip.

Topic: Gradventure Parent Meeting

Time: **May 1, 2024 06:00 PM**

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://dadeschools.zoom.us/j/87808882256>

Meeting ID: 878 0888 2256



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# QUESTIONS

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